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1. [ ] LEGISLATION Spoke with Mr. Dempsey Mizelle, House Appropriations Committee staff, and learned that the Justice Appropriation bill will not be going to conference until sometime after the upcoming recess.

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2. [ ] LEGISLATION I forwarded to [ ] of the IC staff the transcript from the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Anti-Terrorism hearing.

Ted Shackley had asked [ ] to monitor the subject of terrorism and thus his need to review the document which he will return after his review.

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✓ 3. [ ] FOIA/PA At the request of IPS, I called Sylvia Spencer, in the office of Representative Morris Udall (D., Ariz.), who was inquiring about the status of Mr. Udall's FOIA request on the three universities. Based on information given to me by IPS, I informed Ms. Spencer that it would be two more weeks before they would receive a final response.

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4. [ ] LIAISON House International Relations Subcommittee on International Organizations staffers Beverley Lumpkin and Steven Blush interviewed DDO officer [ ] this date. [ ] was present throughout the interview. Mr. Blush's participation was requested and approved in accordance with the Amendment to the Addendum to the Memorandum of Understanding between the DCI and the Subcommittee.

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5. [ ] LIAISON Received a call from Peter Regis, on the staff of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship and International Law, who said that the meeting called by Subcommittee Chairman Joshua Eilberg (D., Pa.) for Thursday, 17 August, had been moved up to 10:15 a.m. I told Regis that I would be attending along with [ ]

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6. [ ] LIAISON Along with [ ] met at Headquarters with Theodore Heavner, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State, and Laurence Storch, Legal Adviser's office, Department of State, regarding dealings with the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on International Operations. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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5. [REDACTED] THIRD AGENCY Received a call from Eric Richard, Department of Justice, and we discussed the meeting scheduled for 17 August in House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship and International Law Chairman Joshua Eilberg's (D., Pa.) office on access to documents on alleged Nazi war criminals. Richard said that the Department was well aware of the Agency's Memorandum of Understanding with the Subcommittee and, in fact, he already had a copy of the Memorandum. We exchanged several bits of information on the scheduled meeting, the most noteworthy from Richard being that Chairman Eilberg planned to have a stenographic transcriber present.

6. [REDACTED] THIRD AGENCY Spoke to Ron Heller, of the Office of Legislative Affairs, FBI, regarding the 17 August meeting in House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship and International Law Chairman Joshua Eilberg's (D., Pa.) office on access to documents on alleged Nazi war criminals. I told Heller that I wanted to ensure that he was aware of the provisions of the Memorandum of Understanding between the DCI and the Subcommittee. Heller said that he was aware of the Memorandum's contents.

7. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Peter Regis, on the staff of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship and International Law, to tell him who the Agency representatives would be at the meeting on 17 August in House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship and International Law Chairman Joshua Eilberg's (D., Pa.) office on access to documents on alleged Nazi war criminals. Regis noted that Chairman Eilberg would ask to have Section 3 of the Memorandum of Understanding between the DCI and the Subcommittee amended to provide for access to Agency material by additional Subcommittee staffers.

8. [REDACTED] LIAISON Took a call from Peter Knight, in the office of Representative Newton I. Steers, Jr. (R., Md.). Knight related how an individual had come into the Congressman's office earlier that afternoon to tell a rambling life story in which he alleged that the many misfortunes which had befallen him had resulted from his being branded as a Soviet agent by the FBI. Knight said that the individual, who did not appear totally coherent to him, did have in his possession an FOIA response indicating that certain CIA documents pertaining to him had been denied under Section 552(a). I told Knight that should the individual seek further help from the Congressman's office with regard to his allegations, it might be advisable to point out to him that there are appeal procedures under the FOIA. I referred Knight to the House Committee on Government Operations' "Citizens Guide on Use of the FOI and Privacy Acts," and advised that he might want to use this in counseling this individual and with regard to similar inquiries of this nature.